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HOUSE BILL NO. 1300

Introduced by: Representatives Heineman, Dykstra, Gilson, Hills, Krebs, Lust, McLaughlin, Novstrup (Al), Rave, Rhoden, Weems, and Wick and Senators Olson (Ed), Dempster, Jerstad, Knudson, Nesselhuf, Peterson (Jim), and Smidt (Orville)

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to require the Department of Education to develop a
- 2 framework for a high school for the twenty-first century, and to require high schools to
- 3 report on activities and results relative to that framework.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 5 Section 1. That chapter 13-3 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
- 6 follows:
- 7 The secretary of the Department of Education shall develop a framework for building a high
- 8 school for the twenty-first century. The framework shall outline the characteristics of a high
- 9 school for the twenty-first century and the activities in which high schools can participate to
- develop those characteristics.
- Each accredited high school in the state shall annually report to the department on the
- activities taking place in that school relative to the framework and the results of those activities.
- 13 The department shall, in turn, provide access to the report of each high school on the
- department's web site.

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- 1 The Department of Education may promulgate rules pursuant to chapter 1-26 to provide for
- 2 the development of the framework, and to establish procedures and timelines for the collection
- 3 and reporting of the data required by this section.